

Docket No.: 43889-984



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Tetsuji KISHI : Confirmation Number: 5220
Serial No.: 09/677,821 : Group Art Unit: 2676
Filed: October 03, 2000 : Examiner: Tam D. TRAN
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DRAWING LINES

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2003, now due to expire October 1, 2003, be extended for two months and set to expire on December 1, 2003.

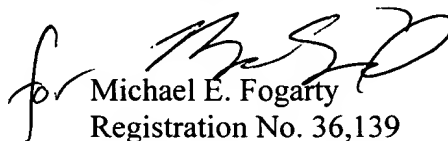
Please charge the extension fee of \$420.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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